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Egypt Seizes Newsman In Spy-Ring Probe

CAIRO, Dec. 8 (AP)—The newspaper Al Ahram said today that Egyptian authorities have arrested a reporter for the Associated Press in connection with an alleged spy case.

The newspaper quoted an Egyption official source as saying the arrest had no relation to the work of the news service. It did not name the newsman.

Aly Mahmoud, a Cairo reporter for the Associated Press, was arrested last week by Egyptian authorities and has been held on undisclosed charges.